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PLEDGE REQUIREMENTS

ALPHA IOTA PLEDGE CLASS

FALL 1980

SERVICE HOURS

35 HOURS OVER 8 WEEKS OF PLEDGESHIP

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(A) EACH PLEDGE MUST HAVE AT LEAST ONE PERSONAL SERVICE PROJECT

(B) THE PLEDGE CLASS MUST HAVE AT LEAST ONE GROUP SERVICE PROJECT

(C) THE PLEDGE CLASS MUST COVER THE EXPENSES OF THE ANNUAL "Phi Omega" SIG PLEDGE MIXER

(D) THE PLEDGES MUST ATTEND THE ACTIVE TRIBUNALS FOR REVIEW OF ADVANCE-
MENT AND TO SETTLE ANY GRIEVENCES

(E) EACH PLEDGE MUST PASS THE FOUR TESTS OF PLEDGESHIP WITH AN INDIVIDUAL ACCURACY OF 80% WITH TWO RETAKES POSSIBLE

DEMERITS

LIMIT: TEN—THE PLEDGE IS THEN SUBJECT FOR REVIEW BY THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

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ALL DEMERITS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE
In Leadership

In Friendship

In Service

Alpha Phi Omega
Xi Psi Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega was chartered on May 9, 1964 in what has grown to be the largest National Fraternity in the country. APO is not a social fraternity in the sense that a house is not maintained for its Brothers. Instead, they are bound in the spirit of Friendship, Leadership, and Service.

APO, through its service program, offers a unique opportunity of working with the many revered members of the administration and faculty. It offers a chance to be of genuine service to the campus, the community, and the nation through such projects as: Boy's Club Games Day, aid in the Red Cross Bloodmobile, Boy and Girl Scout Camp work, Distribution of Campus Calendars, Sponsorship of a Boy Scout Troop, to name just a few. Lastly, the service program offers a chance to experience that certain satisfaction from knowing that someone else is much better because of you.

APO is not, however, an all-work service organization. If it were, then it could not call itself a fraternity. It offers a varied social program designed not only for many good times, but also allows for the building of character. Some of the social functions include: parties and mixers, banquets, a Spring Formal and various other activities including sporting events.

Membership in APO is open to all men. There is a pledge period in which the pledges learn about the fraternity and enter into the various chapter programs. There is no hazing. Also, because APO does not have a house, many APO’s can and do join a regular social fraternity.

We therefore invite you to consider Alpha Phi Omega and we look forward to meeting you.

In the spirit of Friendship
The Brothers of Xi Psi Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega
Everybody's Gotta Have A Gang . . .

Alpha Phi Omega is the National Service Fraternity for college and university men. Its purpose is to develop Leadership, to promote Friendship, to provide Service to humanity, and to further the freedom that is our national, educational and intellectual heritage. This is just some of the literature we distribute to inform men of our fraternity.

PUT YOURSELF INTO THIS PICTURE

NATIONAL SERVICE FRATERNITY
The College Connection

ALPHA PHI OMEGA
National Service Fraternity

I'd like to know more about Scouting's "College Connection." My Scouting background is ____________________

Name ____________________
Address ____________________
City __________ State ________ Zip ________
I'll be attending college at __________________________________________
in ____________________

Hook me up!!
Thanks!
HAVE
QUESTIONS?

We understand that you probably have questions concerning Alpha Phi Omega. This pamphlet is distributed by the National Office to inform people about our Fraternity. Although we give this out we feel that this scrapbook is needed to give you an even better view of the principles of the Fraternity.

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**THE PLEDGE**

1100 WALTOWER BUILDING  
KANSAS CITY, MO. 64106

**APPLICATION FOR PLEDGESHIP**

To the National Fraternity:

I hereby make application for pledgeship in __________ Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega.

I recognize that this is a National Service Fraternity and I am ready to apply my energy and talents in service to humanity through this program. Transmitted herewith is my $5.00 pledge fee in accordance with the National By-Laws of the Fraternity.

Signature of Applicant:

Name of Applicant in Full (print):______________

College Residence (print):______________

Street: ____________________________  City: ____________________________  State: ____________  Zip Code: ____________

Age: ____________  College Class: ____________

Check if you have been a member of National Eagle Scout Association: Exploring: Order of the Arrow:

What is your reason for wishing to join Alpha Phi Omega?

**Approval by Chapter Officers:** The above statement of information is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge.

The Official Pledge Ritual was administered to this applicant on ____________

Signatures: ____________________________

President  Vice-President in Charge of Pledging

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A pledge program is conducted for new members to achieve the following objectives:

a. To serve as an introduction to Alpha Phi Omega.

b. To inform the pledges about our Fraternity, past and present.

c. To unify pledges with each other and with the active Brothers.

d. To allow each man to qualify himself in leadership, friendship, and service.

e. To give the pledge and the chapter a trial period with each other end to give the pledge a definite opportunity to decide for himself whether or not to accept the invitation of the chapter to become an active member.

There is no hazing or informal initiation in connection with Alpha Phi Omega. Your pledge program will allow you to demonstrate your interest in service, but in no way will it demean you as an individual nor will it require you to perform personal service for the active Brothers.
SERVICE TO COMMUNITY

From the very beginning, the service motive has been foremost in Alpha Phi Omega. Service rendered extends not only to the Campus, to Youth, to the Community, and to the Nation; but to the Members themselves. Here is just one of the many projects which are directed to the community, the Humane Society.
In this phase of APO activities, the chapters carry out projects which are beneficial to the student body and faculty. One such project was for homecoming. The morning of homecoming the fraternity blew up the balloons for the pregame festivities. Although it was a small project it added much color to the activities.
Members of APO are ready and willing to pass along to others some of the benefits gained in earlier years. Many projects are directed in service to Scout councils and to other youth groups. Here we are cleaning up the yard at the Girls Club in Bowling Green. We also work with the Boys' Club in such things as Games Day, in which we sponsor events and give prizes to the boys.
These pictures illustrate just some of our work with the Boy Scouts. Here we were responsible for conducting activities for a District Camporee at Camp Banshee. The events sponsored were: Compass Course, First Aid Relay, Armanship Relay, Fire Building, Tug-of-War, and a Football Game.
Give and take

Patti Stanton, a senior from Hendersonville, Tenn., reads while donating blood to the Red Cross yesterday in the cellar of West Hall. The bloodmobile received 257 pints of blood.
The Bloodmobile is probably the most complete service project the two Service Organizations work at every semester. We, with the help of the Warren County Chapter of the Red Cross, select the date. Then we start by publicizing the event by TV, radio and posters. Lastly comes the event we set up the needed equipment, provide the needed manpower for the length of the Bloodmobile, and cleanup.
The Service Project can be classified in two ways: service which directly benefits and service which will produce revenue to be used to benefit others, commonly called money-making projects. One of our regular money-making projects we share with Gamma Sigma Sigma Sorority, our sister organization. This is the Herald project, in it we fold and address our school newspaper to send all over the country and several countries. Projects like this not only bring in money for the fraternity but provides a service for the university in that it is able to save money with us doing the work.
Ronstadt concert ‘sparkling’

By JAY WETHINGTON

The many forms of country music provided by Linda Ronstadt and Goose Creek Symphony entertained more than 6,300 persons in Diddle Arena Saturday night.

Linda Ronstadt and her accompanying band exhibited a sparkling, professional performance as Ronstadt led the audience to new heights of tonal quality and clarity. Her range and resonance were impressive, but her lack of effort in achieving these qualities was even more amazing.

Ronstadt’s voice is suited ideally for the mellow lines of the country ballads she performs. Opening with “Colorado” from her album “Don’t Cry Now,” she quieted a restless audience with her vocal perfection and childlike innocence.

But her innocent appearance was shortlived as she belted the gutsy rock-and-roll lines of “That’ll Be the Day.”

Ronstadt received warm crowd response throughout the show as she performed the country ballads “Love Has No Pride,” “Willie,” “Faithless Love” and “Desperado.”

The country rock songs “When Will I Be Loved,” “Roll Me Easy” and the rockers “You’re No Good” and “Heat Wave” brought hot reaction from the crowd.

Andrew Gold proved to be more than adequate on lead and harmony, which made up for his flat performance at the opening of the concert.

The remaining members of the band performed very well, matching Ronstadt’s flawless voice with flawless accompaniment. Dan Dugmore on steel guitar was impeccable.

The country boogie of Goose Creek Symphony brought the audience to its feet several times as Goose Creek filled the arena with good harmony and strong rhythm.

Goose Creek showed more instrumental proficiency than Ronstadt’s band as it progressed from country to jazz, then to rock and roll and gospel in the song “Saturday Night at the Orange.”

Fiddler Ellis Schwied got a standing ovation as he reconstructed some old country favorites in a song called “Fiddle Tune.”

Normally, drum solos are dull, boring and in bad taste at a concert when the musicians are expected to be seasoned, but Jamie Nichol (congas) and Dennis Kenmore (drums) displayed exceptional timing and syncopation during “Hot Dog Daddy It’s Saturday Night” at the close of Goose Creek’s set.

Taylor, Gross concerts were ‘big successes’

Rick Kelley, Associated Student Government activities vice-president, termed the James Taylor and Henry Gross concerts “big successes.”

Kelley said that approximately 6,000 people were on hand for Friday night’s James Taylor concert in Diddle Arena, which was free to full-time Western students with an ID.

Of the 6,000, about 4,300 were full-time students. The remaining 1,700 paid to see the concert, Kelley said.

He said that Taylor’s fee was $15,000 and production costs totaled about $5,000.

“We actually made a profit of $1,000 from the people that paid to see the concert,” Kelley said.

The Henry Gross concert, which also was sponsored by ASG, began with a little confusion, “but I believe everyone really enjoyed the concert,” Kelley said.

The confusion began when the concert, originally scheduled to take place at 9 p.m. in L.T. Smith Stadium, was moved to Garrett Ballroom.

The move was made after Gross refused to appear outside because of cold weather.

“At 7:15 (Monday night) it became evident that there would be more people that wanted to see the concert than Garrett would seat,” Kelley said.

He said that Gross agreed to a second performance at 10:30 p.m., for an additional $1,000.

Kelley said that Gross received $2,500 for the first show.

He said that 1,400 people were at the first show and that approximately 1,300 people showed up for the 10:30 performance.

“Student Affairs was surprised (Gross) attracted so many people, but I think they (Student Affairs) did a good job,” Kelley said.

“A few people were upset because they didn’t get in to see the first show,” he said. Kelley said that everyone in line for the first show received a free ticket for the second show.

Asylum recording artist Linda Ronstadt waves good-bye to a cheering audience of approximately 6,300 in Diddle Arena Saturday night. The Homecoming concert, which was sponsored by Associated Student Government, also featured Goose Creek Symphony.

Bob Coffey

Ushering University concerts with the Women of Gamma Sigma Sigma is another of our money-making service projects. "We have had the privilege of ushering such groups as Linda Ronstadt, James Taylor, Van Halen, the "Fifth Dimension," "Blood, Sweat, and Tears," and several others.

-Bob Coffey
Ushering University lectures is yet another money-making service project. The lectures have brought in such people as: Jules Bergman, John Dean, Art Linkletter, David Brinkley, and Chet Huntley; just to name a few. The proximity distributes posters for the lectures, concerts, and any other University functions.
Ugly man contest to hold balloting

Voting for the "Ugly Man on Campus" will be conducted next week in the contest sponsored by Alpha Phi Omega and Gamma Sigma Sigma service organizations.

Voters will deposit money in a ballot box that has pictures of the candidates, who are sponsored by various organizations.

The voting tables will be in the lobby of the university center Monday and Tuesday and in Garrett Conference Center Wednesday and Thursday.

A pageant will be held Nov. 20 in the Garrett Conference Center Ballroom. The "Ugly Man on Campus" will be crowned at that time.

All proceeds from the contest and the pageant will be given to the Toys for Tots program.
A car wash is one of our popular money-making projects. They have used its profits for transportation to service projects across the state, for the national convention, for the pledge class, and many other worthwhile projects.
March 13, 1975

Alpha Phi Omega

c/o College Heights
Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Dear Members of Alpha Phi Omega:

As President of the Bowling Green Boys' Club, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the efforts that you put forth in sponsoring the recent games day at the Boys' Club. Your continued support and interest in the efforts of the Boys' Club is sincerely appreciated, and we hope that you will continue your association with us in the future.

Very truly yours,

James W. Smith
President

cc: Mrs. Pamela Funk
Mr. Charles Collins
Roy Mellot, President
Alpha Phi Omega, Xi Phi Chapter
Box U-209, College Heights
Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Dear Mr. Mellot:

I would like to express my sincere thanks for your generous donation to the Speech Clinic. Your organization's donation will help to purchase necessary materials and equipment which will improve the quality of services provided to the University and the community.

Let me extend an open invitation to you and the brothers to visit the Speech Clinic at any time.

Thank you again for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Richard C. Murrell, Jr.

RCM/eah
March 5, 1975

Mr. Roy Mellott  
President  
Alpha Phi Omega  
244 E. 14th Street  
Bowling Green, KY  42101  

Dear Roy:

This is a brief note to commend you and your organization for the excellent work at the concert on March 3.

Few times since I have been associated with student groups have I witnessed students doing their jobs to such an excellent degree.

Your dedication is sincerely appreciated by this office and by myself.

Sincerely,

Mark R. Policinski  
Coordinator of Fraternity Affairs  
and Student Activities  

MRP:kt
April 15, 1975

Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity
P.O. Box U209
College Heights

Dear Friends,

I want to thank you for your cooperation in making the Blood Drive a tremendous success. I know there were some hard feelings between our organizations prior to the event. However, I hope the success of the event will supersede any bad feelings.

The fraternities are not out to steal the thunder of the service organizations. We simply want to be a viable, constructive part of the community. We feel service projects are one means of achieving this goal. Just look at the state of the world; cancer claiming thousands of lives, muscular dystrophy crippling young children and countless other tragic events. It is easy to comprehend; if the number of organizations involved in community work were multiplied in geometric proportions, the number of causes they could work for would be limited only by the number of hours in a day and days in a year.

Once again, thank you.

Sincerely,

William H. Riske, Jr.
President, Interfraternity Council
The meetings of our fraternity exemplify two of our basic principles very well — leadership and friendship. It is important that every member, every advisor and every pledge be assigned specific responsibilities giving each a real part in the activities of the chapter. Our willingness to work shows not only our organization but our friendship we have earned in the fraternity.
A chapter office is a valuable asset to the chapter. It serves as a center of chapter activity, a place for committee meetings and membership recruitment, and as a place for storage of chapter materials.
FELLOWSHIP

A bowling team is a good way to maintain fellowship in our fraternity. Our fraternity participates in two leagues so more brothers can relax and compete in the spirit of ΑΦΩ Brotherhood.
Members of our fraternity often take part in road rallies sponsored by campus groups since they are usually conducted for some worthwhile charity. Here a couple of our brothers were in trouble but some of us were able to come to the aid due to a couple of trusty CB's.
To all brothers of Alpha Phi Omega, Xi Psi:

Greetings and salutations,

Our summer fellowship this year is to be held on Saturday, August 2 at Opryland in Nashville. A convoy will be leaving Jerry's on the Russellville Rd. about 9 a.m. We'll be gathering there for breakfast about eight. If you need a place to stay, we'll fix you up, just let us know. The cost at the gate will be about $6.50, maybe less if we can work it. Let us know if you're coming so we won't leave you behind.

As to the Baggage Project (Sorry, not that kind of baggage.), J3G will be letting you know soon about time and date, etc.

Hope to see you soon.

Your brothers in service,

Jeff Graham                 Roy Mellott

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Our Brother, JAMES LOVELL, cared enough about APO to take the pin with him on his historic mission to the moon, and has now been named Commander of Apollo Thirteen.

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ARE YOU THE MAN WE WANT IN ALPHA PHI OMEGA?
COME AND FIND OUT!
Like most fraternities we have mixers, usually ever semester. We are lucky enough to be able to have our mixers with a great group of women, Gamma Sigma Sigma Sorority. Our mixers give us a chance to meet some good looking girls. Often brothers of ANO have met and married one of these young ladies.
As you can probably tell we often play football with the Gamma Sigs. Although we have our own sporting events among the chapter members and other fraternities we often challenge the Gamma Sigs in events such as bowling and softball, because we enjoy their company so very much.
The Spring Formal is the highlight of every fraternity and sorority of the school year. We are no exception. APO and the Gamma Sigma Sigma Sorority start planning in the fall semester. This planning is worth all the time since it is always our most successful social event of the year.

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The Chairman of the Advisory Committee is Dr. T. Alan Yungbluth. He is a great help to our chapter. He often serves as a personal advisor and counselor on chapter matters. He attends most fraternity meetings. As most of us know he is one of the most important assets our chapter has had. His experience in various activities offers the chapter an unlimited reservoir of ideas and a valuable contact with campus and community officials. To him we have awarded the fraternity's highest award, "The Distinguished Service Award".
HAVE WE GOT A DEAL FOR YOU

You have the capacity to lead others—we have the capacity to develop it.

You have a great friendship to share—we have the opportunity to share it.

You have the potential to enrich the lives of others—we have the potential to develop it.

The leadership, friendship and service you begin with us will take the rest of your life to finish.

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